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BOOTIES	BATH ROBES	SLIPPER

Summed up, our Infants' Section offers you every requisite for the little tots, at prices that are as low as their excellent quality will permit.

The National Council of Defense requests early Christmas shopping.

BRITISH SUPPRESS NAMES

Of Their Most Successful Airmen, in

British aviators, using the names as in France and Germany, because it is considered unfair to men who are doing fine work but who have not had opportunities for winning many air victories. Also they say the loss of a famous aviator creates a bad impression if the people at home have been led to believe that he is plies and equipment, Stuart W. Webb, Vegland regional advisor of the

wrote: "I go into the air perfectly structions from Washington to ask manufacturers in this regton to load and a pilot on artillery observation er photography work goes up to do a highly necessary job, and perhaps has to spend several hours over it and in any case has other work to do and cannot go strafing however much he might like it. Why should I be advertised and glorified any more than he is? We both are trying to do our job and nobody can do more."

WASHINGTON

the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. that they load and unload freight with the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. that they load and unload freight with all possible speed in order that cars may be released at the earliest moment. tery on October 15, Rev. P. Weller officiating. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her cheerful, sunny dis-

TALK OF THE TOWN

Christmas greeting cards for the boys Contrast to French Method.

London, Oct. 24.—British sir force authorities do not allow publication of stories of exploits of the most successful

in service just in at Bell & Houston's.

Mrs. C. Frank Bradbury and Pearl Bradbury were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. King in Washington Wednesday.

RELEASE CARS QUICKLY. Manufacturers Are Asked to Load and

ish flying officers. One of them recently war industries board, has received in unload all bulk freight promptly, not

only that demurrage might be avoided but to permit of the greatest amount of

tonnage being moved with the least fric-The movement of troops and war ma terials is receiving the first consideration from the railroad administration Rail facilities for normal materials have accordingly been restricted and it is therefore to the advantage of manufac-Mr. Webb further asks that shippers accord railroad operators every assist-ance possible in order to relieve the

sorely taxed railroad systems.

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BARRE DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1918.

The Weather Probably rain late to-night and on Fri-

day; warmer, moderate south winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN Read Shea's adv., five big specials. New shipment of hats. Mrs. Mariani. Christmas greeting cards for the boys n service just in at Bell & Houston's. Ensign Lyman Whitcomb is spending several days' leave with his mother, Mrs. Harriet Whitcomb of this city. Will be at McAllister's store, Wil-

hamstown, beginning Tuesday, Oct. 29, for the balance of the week. Mrs. Carroll.

Mail Carrier W. D. McDonald was able

ness of her son, Francis Goldsbury. The funeral of Mrs. Bernie Haskins at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Price, 43 Branch street, Rev. Mr. Leach of Montpelier officiating. Burial was in Hope cemetery and the bearers were all

Word has been received in Barre of facturer of Beebe Junction, which will bring sadness and genuine regret to the people of Barre and Hardwick. Mr. Les-lie worked for Jones Brothers while in Barre and for th eWoodbury Granite company in Hardwick. He leaves a wife and three children. Mr. Leslie was born in Clunie, Aberdeenshire, Scotland.

Sergt. Eugene Gapit, a member of the 58th Pioneer infantry stationed at Camp Sergeant Gapit was one of the short time. first to volunteer from Barre last spring fall, when he was transferred with other Vermonters to Connecticut and later to from private to supply sergeant, being a committeeman at-large, in first-class private for 76 days and a corporal for only 25 days. His knowledge of the English tongue is the result of his and his one big desire seems to be to go to France and "get some Germans." He expects to leave for camp Saturday and will stop over at New Haven on the re-

died of pneumonia at Fall River, Mass., yesterday after an illness of about three weeks' duration. Miss Thomson, who had been a resident of Barre nearly all her life, was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, 20 years ago. She came to Barre with celebrated the 25th anniversary of their her parents when about a year old and marriage. They received a few guests grew up here, attending the city schools and Spaulding high school. Before leaving Barre she was employed in the office of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston, where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis. A year ago she went from Boston where he attended the continuous of Dr. D. C. Jarvis where h the Odd Ladies and Pocahontas tribe. was made and was sustained. trude. The body will be brought to of children in this kind of work. Barre on the evening train to-day. Arrangements for the funeral are not yet

service. The papers are filled with matter which is interesting to Americans in the United States and which must be equally so to the soldiers themselves. "The Stars and Stripes" is especially strong in cartoons, the best of which is perhaps the representation of a huge American soldier coming up over the side of the earth and surprising a Fritzie, who has dropped his gun in amazement and whose helmet is popping right up from his head with his hair following the helmet to the limit. The cartoon is captioned, "The Americans have all been sunk," no doubt because of the German claims last summer that a large number of American transports had been sunk. A photographic reproduction shows a line of American soldlers going into action west of Chateau Thierry last July.

APPEAL TO PATRIOTISM

Connecticut Merchants Who Are Asked to Gather.

Hartford, Conn., Oct. 24,-Announce ment was made here to-day of a meeting of the merchants of Connecticut at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow at 10:30 to discuss and act upon the matter of war service by merchants in conservation of electric and other artificial lighting in their stores, by decreasing the number of hours of business daily, and in ascertaining to what extent they can limit the number of their employes in order to release a surplus

for work in munitions plants.

An appeal to merchants to be present and discuss the matter is presented on patriotic grounds.

NEW TAX ON INHERITANCES.

Proposed By Senate Finance Committee

To-day. Washington, D. C., Oct. 24,-In lieu of the taxes on estates proposed in the House revenue bill, the Senate finance ommittee, in its revision to-day, adopt ed a plan of taxing inheritances of \$10,000 and more, at rates to be fixed later. The committee also decided to reduce to \$2.20 a gullon the tax on distilled spirits used for industrial, medicinal and other non-beverage purposes.

SAILOR A SUICIDE.

Rudolph C. Scoltz of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Had Appeared in Good Health. New Haven, Conn., Oct. 24.—Rudolph Scoltz of Brooklyn, N. Y., in naval service nearly twenty years, killed himself by shooting with a service revolver at the naval base here last night. He was 50 years old and had the rating of a sailmaker. He appeared to be in normal health and spirits at mess yesterday.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our appreciation and thanks for the assistance and many kindnesses shown to Mrs. Halvosa during

ber illness. W. C. T. Halvosa,

Mrs. D. H. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Halvosa, Mr. and Mrs. George Halvosa.

MONTPELIER

The regular city council meeting took place Wednesday evening. Alderman Galleher was absent because of illness. Frank Abair appeared, asking for more pay as an employe in the water department. He wanted \$30 a week if he handled all of the work-and \$27.50 if the sewers were put in the street department. The matter was left to the water and sewer committees. Relative to the taxes on the Abraham Long estate, the council voted to rebate on the Burling ton city bond and United Cities Realty company stock, but declined on the Rutland city bond because of statute lim itations. The claim of Mrs. Mary Andrews for rebatement of taxes on timber land was denied because she made no claim for exemption to the listers. Miss Florence LePage of 124 Prospect Downing street was accepted as a street street returned home last night from It was voted to discontinue the road Greenfield, Mass., where she has been from Harry Tabor's to River street. from Harry Tabor's to River street, which includes the Berno bridge, which will cause traffic from Berlin and Barre to be downtown yesterday after having to come to the trolley car barn to go to-been confined for a week with the pre- wards East Montpelier. The public servvailing epidemic.

This is the winter for you to board, and if you don't you'll wish you had before next spring. Come in and get prices. Hotel Barre, J. V. Rowen, Mgr.

wards East Montpaller. The public service commission has, by its own act, discontinued the road from the Country club to the Tabor crossing. The sprinkling assessments were levied. Charles Reed of Chicago will be given data conling assessments were levied. Charles Reed of Chicago will be given data con-Mrs. Arthur LePage of Prospect street cerning a piece of land owned by his returned home last night from Greenfield, mother here and which is commonly Mass., where she was called by the ill-known as Baldwin street extension, which the city wants to lay out as a street. L. N. Jerue appeared, arguing was held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 against the discontinuance of the Berno bridge road.

A complaint was made Wednesday afternoon to Chief Connolly that a youth on Elm street, too small to have a revolver, was using a 22 calibre gun careleasly Word has been received in Barre of the death of Jack Leslie, a granite manufely with the chief about the use of sirguns by boys on Baldwin street, which was stopped.

Prof. L. M. Beach left last evening for Rochester, N. Y., and Burlington on educational matters.

William O'Grady, station agent at Montpelier Junction, is recovering from

grip and complications. Miss Marion Taylor, who has been very ill at her home in Marshfield for the Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., is spending 15 days' leave with relatives and friends in this city, having been called here by the death of his brother last the National Life Insurance Co. within a

E. B. Gilbert has been elected a mem and remained at Fort Ethan Allen until ber of the Republican city committee from the second ward in place of W. E. Poole, who has moved to another ward southern camps. He has risen rapidly and William McKee has been elected committeeman-at-large, in place

Miss Helen McKay and Miss Blanche Barcoinette of Boston, teachers in the public schools here, have gone back to own study. Since joining the army he public schools here, have gone back to has taken out his naturalization papers Boston to await the opening of schools, which has been delayed by the state board of health order.

The members of the board of control went this afternoon to Randolph Center urn trip.

Miss Isabella Thomson, daughter of the construction of the dormitory at the Mrs. I. Thomson of 1 Spaulding street, agricultural school. This evening a

to Fall River to enter the Dr. Truesdale ference of those interested in the allied hospital to train for a nurse and it was war workers' drive for funds. Mr. Hille-there she was taken sick with the influenta three weeks ago. Miss Thomson schools Last year an effort was made was a member of the Presbyterian to use the students which was harmful of the ladies of Clan Gordon, of to the welfare of the schools. A protest N. She is survived by her mother, who was those in charge of the drive have come with her at the end, and by a sister, Ger- to the same conclusion relative to the use

Following the regular city council meeting Wednesday evening, upon motion of Alderman H. C. Shurtleff, an ex-That "The Stars and Stripes," the offi-cial newspaper of the A. E. F. in France, nounced this morning that nothing was nounced this morning that nothing was is maintaining its reputation for being a done for publication. No record of the real newspaper is proven by a glance at meeting was taken. Certain departcopies of the periodical just received by ments and the plans of work were dis-Miss Penelope Gall from her brother, cussed, as well as matters which the Lieut. James N. Gall of the engineering council as individuals have had under cussed, as well as matters which the council as individuals have had under consideration for some time.

Reports from the various countles be ing received at the Republican headquarters indicate that a large Republi can vote will be east in the election which makes the committee confident of a good Republican majority. The state committee is getting lively support from the county committees.

No Boston papers came this morning on the Montpeller & Wells River rail road because of some trouble on the Boston & Maine railroad, so that the paper train missed the connections at Wells River.

R. W. Simonds, commissioner of in dustries, is in Burlington on various The district board was in session today at the State House.

LAWSON'S RIBS BROKEN.

Boston Financier Hurt in Automobile Overturned in Northboro.

Marlboro, Mass., Oct. 24.-Thomas W. Lawson, Boston financier, who was in jured late yesterday when his automo lle overturned in Northboro, was in proved to-day, hospital phylcians said. He had two fractured ribs and numerous cuts and bruises. His chauffeur, whose right leg was severely cut, passed a rest-

REJOINED HIS REGIMENT. First American Private to Escape from German Prison.

Berne, Switzerland, Wednesday, Oct. 23.—The first American private soldier among prisoners in Germany to escape is a Pennsylvanian named leted), originally of a Lithuanian family. He has regained his regiment in Alsace.

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REICHSTAG CONSENT TO DECLARE WAR

Was Proposed in Statement Read to the Reichstag in the Name of the

Centrist Party. Basel, Oct. 24 (Havas),-After the speech of Prince Maximilian, Deputy Karl Herold, in the name of the Centrist

asking that the reform of the constitution of the empire be extended so that war cannot be declared without the consent of the Reichstag. He added that if peace with the entente allies is not pos-

Deputy Ebert, majority Socialist, de-clared the German people no longer would permit themselves to be without the right to decide their own fate. Friedrich Naumann, radical, said he considered peace impossible by military means and

that Germany must use her diplomatic resources to end the war. 'Count Von Westarp, conservative, de-clared his party would not vote for the

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—The following names

Mass.; F. R. Givens, Blairstown, J.; W. DuBois, Franklin, N. H.; J. Morgan, Bellevue, Pa.; J. N. Elliott, North Adams, Mass.; E. Theriault, Rum-ford Falls, Me.; W. G. Colclough, Swampscott, Mass.; A. A. Mulligan, Bos ton.; W. Moss, New Bedford, Mass.; T. F. Nolan, Cranford, N. J.; D. Muir, Kearney, N. J.; G. Smithson, Scranton, Pa.; J. Sinclair, Providence, R. I.; H. B. Morrison, Cambridge, Mass.; T. Birtley, Scranton, Pa.; L. E. Grant, Portland,

Me.; T. H. Graham, Somerville, Mass.; N. Lee, Houlton, Me.; P. G. Leason, Phil-Died: B. O'Leary, Baltimore, Md.; E. T. Milton, Central Falls, R. I.

Missing: G. T. Gorman, Wissinoming, Died of wounds: S. T. Murphy, Bos-

Died of wounds: S. I. Murphy, Boston; W. A. Knight, Boston.
Wounded: A. Nadeau, Providence, R.
L.; J. F. Gildarnew, Ingraham, Pa.; W.
O'Malley, Lowell, Mass.; F. Jackson,
Roxbury, Mass.; F. Stowell, Frankfort,
Pa.; J. McFayden, Perth Amboy, N. J.;
M. Edwards, Pawtucket, R. I.; C. Lugrin, Dorchester, Mass.; J. Murdoch, Harrison, Dorchester, Mass.; J. Murdoch, Harrison, N. J.; E. Dawson, Philadelphia; E. Del-liver, Somerville, Mass.; J. Duffy, Hart-ford, Conn.; W. Dube, Salem, Mass.; E. Harrison, New Eagle, Pa.; E. Beaudoin, Newmarket, N. H.; E. O. Blanchette, Worcester, Mass.; E. Lakin, Lynn, Mass.; G. J. Row, New Bedford, Mass.; A. J. Legors, North Adams, Mass.; W. A. L. Legers, Norh Adams, Mass.; W. Loveland, Manchester, Conn.; W. Malloy, Roxbury, Mass.; T. Bonner, North Adams, Mass.; R. Morris, Pawtucket, R. L; R. J. Lemay, Millbury, Mass.; N Rodgers, North Abington, Mass.

Gassed: S. Morris, Philadelphia; C. Coutts, Quincy, Mass.
Ill: W. Pinkerton, Central Falls, R. I.; W. France, Stow, Mass.

TWO NEW ENGLAND MEN.

Have Been Located in Prison Camps in Germany.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 24.-Sixty eight enlisted men, nearly all of them from New York City and state, have been located in the German prison camp at Rastatt, the war department anounces to-day. They include: John Fraze, Southing-

ton, Conn.; Philip I. Fillion, Fall River

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST - A gentleman's black overcost Oct. 22 on main road from Plainfield to Marsh-field; finder please leave at 87 Smith street, Frank Franco, or P. D. Molla's store, Berlin street, Barre.

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WANTED — A maid for general housework in family of two; apply at once; Mrs. C. A. Best, 12 Baldwin street, Montpeller, V.1 phone 425-3.

STRAYED — Came to my premises 1 black and 1 red yearling beifer; owner may have same by proving property and paying dam-ages; Arthur Ainsley, Cutler Corner. 188tf

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CURRENT COMMENT

Farms for Soldiers. Senator George A. Hastings of Berk-

shire has an interesting plan in connec-tion with the return of the soldiers from the war-which is a subject that a great party, read a statement in the Reichstag, about. Mr. Hastings is an enthusiast The essential difficulty about the Hastings is an enthusiast The essential difficulty about the Hastings is an enthusiast. for sheep farming, and he says that in ings plan is that sheep farming or any Massachusetts there are at least 500,000 other kind of farming in New England is might well be converted into profitable practical plans—either it must be consible, the government will have to call on little financial assistance from the govthe last man for the defense of Germany.

ernment. It would, of course, be necesDeputy Ebert, majority Socialist, desary, first, for the state or the federal government to acquire title to or control Italians of the Catskills do it, by the over all this land, according to some hard, actual work of every member of a Irish land act, and then to parcel it out When our New England ancestors were to enable them to convert it into sheep

money advanced would be returned unclared his party would not vote for the constitutional reforms proposed by the chancellor because it considered them of the young veterans of France, espediangerous. other trades or displaced in their former employment, would be glad of a chance thus to settle themselves in an oscupation of the control of thus to settle themselves in an occupa-tion in which they would contribute to

the general good.
One may be a little sceptical as to the of Americans are included in to-day's attractions of sheep farming to the aver-casualty list:

One may be a little scepant to the aver-liamstown, beginning Tuesday, Oct. 2:

for the balance of the week. Mrs. Carrol true that some of them will experience difficulty in finding prompt employment,

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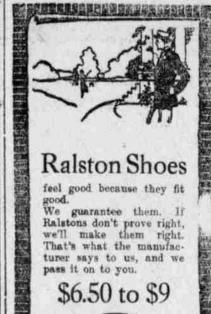
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taste for an out-of-door life. After our Civil war a great many thousands of eastern soldiers, who before the war had been industrial workers, took out soldier homesteads in the West. After the present war no such easy homesteads will be left, and if Uncle Sam is to give every soldier a farm, as some propose, abandoned farms of the eastern states

The essential difficulty about the Hastacres of land now utterly idle which now profitable only under one of two ing to the most thoroughly scientific Poles of the Connecticut valley and the Italians of the Catakills do it, by the system as that employed in the somewhat large family on the fields. among the soldiers, with loans meantime making money on the farms they were following the second method. farms and to stock these farms. The farmer had a lot of boys, and every boy worked from sun to sun. Among the Poles and the Italians the wives and daughters work also. Americans will not farm on this basis. Farms could be provided for the soldiers, with govern-

WILLIAMSTOWN

Will be at McAllister's store, Williamstown, beginning Tuesday, Oct. 29,

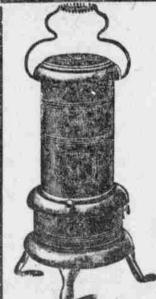


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